



**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Isao OTA et al.

Group Art Unit: 3725

Application No.: 10/518,769

Examiner: B. MILLER

Filed: December 21, 2004

Docket No.: 122197

For: METHOD OF MILLING CERIUM COMPOUND BY MEANS OF BALL MILL

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the May 13, 2008 Office Action, the shortened statutory period for reply having been extended by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**